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In re Patent Application of:

Shuko SAITO

Application No.: 09/452,161

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Confirmation No.: 9954

Filed: December 1, 1999

Examiner: Suryawanshi, Suresh

For: POWER SUPPLY CONTROL DEVICE AND INFORMATION PROCESSING DEVICE  
USING SAME

PETITION TO REVIVE AN APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)

OFFICE OF PATENT PUBLICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby submit a Petition to withdraw Abandonment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) requesting revival of the above-identified application.

The Examiner objected to FIGS. 1-5 as filed in the first Office Action mailed July 29, 2002. In response, Applicants filed corrected FIGS. 3 and 4. In the final Office Action mailed on February 24, 2003, the Examiner did not indicate whether the figures in response to the Office Action mailed July 29, 2002 were accepted or objected to.

In response to a non-final Office Action mailed on June 20, 2003, Applicants filed a response on October 16, 2003. The Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance on December 11, 2003 in which the Examiner indicated that the drawings filed on December 1, 1999 were accepted.

Accordingly, the Applicants paid the issue fee on January 28, 2004. However, because formal figures were not filed, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed on July 23, 2004.

The failure to file formal figures was due to unintentional oversight caused by sole reliance on the Notice of Allowance that stated that the drawings as filed were accepted. Therefore, Applicants respectfully petition to revive the above-referenced application.

Enclosed herein are replacement sheets replacing FIGS. 1-5 as originally filed, a copy of the Notice of Allowance and a check in the amount of \$1,370.00 covering the petition fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b).


If any further fees are required in connection with the filing of this Petition, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that this Petition to Withdraw Abandonment be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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